PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket No. (Small Entity) 3124.006A In Re Application Of: SCHWARTZ Customer No. Group Art Unit Confirmation No. Application No. Filing Date Examiner 10/598,223 August 22, 2006 LEVINE, Joshua H. 23405 3774 1470 Invention: ARTICULAR CARTILAGE FIXATION DEVICE AND METHOD **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:** This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>January 5, 2010</u> in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): ☐ Four months ☐ Five months Two months ☐ Three months ☑ One month May 5, 2010 April 5, 2010 until: from: Date Date □ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 The fee for the extension of time is \$65 and is to be paid as follows: ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 08-1935 If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 08-1935 ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. Dated: May 5, 2010 John Pietrangelo Agent for Application; Registration No.: 39,331 certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the HESLIN ROTHENBERG FARLEY & MESITI P.C. "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 5 Columbia Circle 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on Albany, NY 12203 (Date) Telephone: (518) 452-5600 Facsimile: (518) 452-5579 Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence CC: Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence